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RE: SALT FESTIVAL

Teachers,

Every Year we invite elementary school classes from across the tri-state region to join us at Big Bone Lick State Historic Site for *School Day* at the 35th annual Salt Festival, on October 13, 2017.

The Salt Festival provides unique opportunities for area students to experience many aspects of Northern Kentucky history and its place in our country's early exploration and settlement. Students will observe a variety of activities and pioneer demonstrations highlighting Kentucky's colorful frontier heritage. The park continually pursues expansion of festival offerings by retaining the best of past event features while endeavoring to include more educational opportunities as worthy new components are realized.

Enclosed you will find the event flyer and registration form. If after reviewing the information you are interested making the festival a field trip destination for your class, please complete the registration form and return it to the park with the appropriate payment.

<u>NOTE</u>: ALL STUDENTS, TEACHERS, CHAPERONES, & BUS DRIVERS MUST PAY ADMISSION TO ENTER THE EVENT.

The deadline for school registration is Wednesday, October 4. Do not miss what is sure to be an unforgettable experience for your class. Once we receive your registration, we will return a confirmation letter with the festival schedule and admission armbands.

We look forward to hosting your student group at this year's exciting Salt Festival event. If you have questions, please contact the park's School Group Coordinator, Sherry Hall, at (859) 384-3522, or you may e-mail her at Sherry.Hall@ky.gov.

Sincerely,

Amelia Hulth, Park Interpreter Big Bone Lick State Historic Site

